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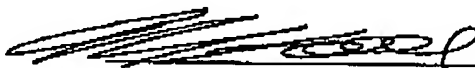
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Shammai et al.

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Confirmation No.:7484

Examiner: Giovanna M. Collins

Title: A Method And Apparatus For Pumping Quality §
Control Through Formation Rate Analysis §
Techniques §**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

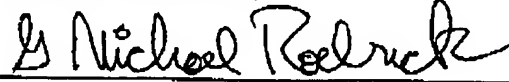
1. Transmitted herewith is a Second Preliminary Amendment.
2. Applicant is other than a small entity.
3. The claims have been amended as follows:

CLAIMS

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Previously Paid For		Number Extra		Rate		Additional Fees
Total Claims	37	-	21	=	16	x	\$50	=	\$800.00
Independent Claims	4	-	3	=	1	x	\$200	=	\$200.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (if any)						+	\$360		\$0
Total Fees									\$1000.00

4. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the total fees for additional claims to Deposit Account No. **02-0429 (584-30094-US)**. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **02-0429 (584-30094-US)**.

Respectfully submitted,



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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This paper is a Preliminary Amendment. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees deemed necessary or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-0429 (584-30094-US) maintained by Baker Hughes Incorporated. This preliminary amendment is being submitted prior to the mailing of the first office action. A request to enter this preliminary amendment was granted by Examiner Collins via telephone on May 31, 2005.

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